

Bruce Martin (SCDC #304679),
Plaintiff,
vs.
Associate Warden Larry Cartledge,
et al.,
Defendants.

Civil Action No. 6:07-1592-JFA-WMC

REPORT OF MAGISTRATE JUDGE

As the plaintiff is proceeding *pro se*, the court filed a second order on November 21, 2007, giving the plaintiff through December 19, 2007, to file his response to the motion to dismiss. The plaintiff was specifically advised that if he failed to respond, this action would be dismissed for failure to prosecute. The plaintiff elected not to respond.

Based on the foregoing, it appears the plaintiff no longer wishes to pursue this action. Accordingly, it is recommended that this action be dismissed for lack of prosecution pursuant to Rule 41(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. *Ballard v. Carlson*, 882 F.2d 93 (4th Cir. 1989), *cert. denied*, 493 U.S. 1084 (1990).

s/William M. Catoe
United States Magistrate Judge

January 8, 2008
Greenville, South Carolina